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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop: RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Ms. Bitar,

This paper is being submitted in condition with a Request for Continued Examination and in response to the Advisory Action mailed April 02, 2009. This Amendment and Response is within the three months from the mailing date of the final rejection making this paper due on April 23, 2009. Applicants request that the Amendment and Response be entered and considered. If any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any necessary fees or credit any overpayment to the USPTO Deposit Account GEMS-IT₃, Account No. 070845

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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